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 MOTOR VEHICLE

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**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This supplements the Preliminary Amendment filed December 22, 2004. Please enter the following amendments to the claims prior to the examination of the application.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.